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SUBJ: MAJOR PROJECT: HETAUDA CEMENT

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1. ACCORDING TO HETAUDA CEMENT PROJECT MANAGER MANANDHAR, THERE HAS BEEN NO REPEAT NO SLIPPAGE IN PROJECT TIMETABLE TO DATE. HCI EXPECTS TO MAKE SELECTION OF CONSULTANT WITHIN A WEEK OR SO. THIS NOMINATION MUST THEN BE FORWARDED TO ADB FOR APPROVAL AND FINAL CONFIRMATION OF CONSULTANT FOR PROJECT SHOULD BE ANNOUNCED BY THE BEGINNING OF APRIL. FORMAL INVITATIONS FOR COMPANIES TO SUBMIT PREQUALIFICATIONS DATA FOR THE CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT CONTRACT SHOULD BE ISSUED IN MAY. THE CLOSING DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF SUCH DATA WILL BE 60 DAYS FROM THE ISSUANCE OF THE INVITATION. APPOINTMENT OF CONSTRUCTION MANAGER IS TO BE MADE BY THE END OF OCTOBER. (ALL OF THE FOREGOING IS IN ACCORD WITH THE ORIGINAL PROPOSED TIMETABLE. THE IMPRESSION OF SLIPPAGE POSSIBLY AROSE FROM CONFUSION BETWEEN CLOSING DATE FOR SUBMISSION OF PREQUALIFICATION DATA AND SCHEDULED DATE FOR FINAL SELECTION OF CONTRACTOR.)

2. MANANDHAR DECLINED TO COMMENT ON THE "FRONT RUNNERS" IN LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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THE CONSULTANCY COMPETITION, OTHER THAN TO CONFIRM THAT KAISER ENGINEERS IS STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION.

3. IN REGARD TO TIMING OF A CRESCENT ENGINEERS REPRESENTATIVE VISIT-TO-NEPAL, THERE DOES NOT SEEM TO BE ANY PRESSING REASON FOR A VISIT PRIOR TO ISSUANCE OF THE INVITATION TO SUBMIT PREQUALIFICATION DATA. HCI HAS NO OBJECTION TO AN EARLIER

VISIT, BUT IT WOULD APPEAR TO MAKE SENSE TO WAIT AT LEAST UNTIL
CONSULTANT HAS BEEN APPOINTED AND IS IN ACTION HERE.

4. MANANDHAR ALSO CONFIRMED THAT CRESCENT IS NOT REPEAT NOT
UNDER CONSIDERATION FOR THE CONSULTANCY CONTRACT.
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